Aid by JBIC

188. SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Japan Bank for International Cooperation (JBIC) signed ten agreements of official development assistance with Government aggregating Rs. 6000 crore;

(b) whether in 2005-06, package consisting of nine loan agreements of around 5200 crore with the Central Government and one loan agreement of around Rs. 800 crore with the Rural Electrification Corporation with this JBIC loan package to India has increased by 50.50 per cent to 55 percent of the previous year;

(c) whether the projects for which is funded by JBIC relates to power generation, rural electrification, environmental forestry etc.; and

(d) by when, these projects are likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL): (a) and (b) Loan agreements for Nine projects with Government of India and one project with Rural Electrification Corporation Ltd. have been signed by Japan bank for international Cooperation for a total amount of Yen 155.458 billion (Rs. 6218 crores approx.) under Japan's Official Development Assistance (ODA) package for financial year 2005-06. The total loan amount is 15.61 % more than the previous year's ODA loan package. Total loan for the nine loan agreements signed between Government of India and JBIC amounts to Yen 134.829 billion (Rs. 5392.8 crores approx.), whereas the loan agreement between REC and JBC is for an amount of Yen 20.629 billion (Rs. 825.16 crores approx.).

(c) The loan agreements have been signed for projects in power, environment and forests, urban transport, urban water supply and sanitation and shipping sectors.

(d) The details are given below:

Sl.No	Name of the Project	Date of completion as laid down in the Loan Agreement
1.	Orissa Forestry Sector Development Project	March 2013
2	Hussain Sagar Lake and Catchment Area Improvement Project	December 2012
3.	Purulia Pumped Storage Project (III)	December 2008
4:	Rural Electrification Project	September 2008
5	Kolkata Solid Waste Management Improvement Project	November 2010
6	Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Project Phase (II-2)	March 2013
7.	Delhi. Mass Rapid, Transport System Project (Phase-2) (I)	June 2011
8	Bangalore Metro Rail Project	April 2013
9	Visakhapatnam Port Expansion Project (Engineering Services)	August 2007
10	Swan River Integrated Watershed Management Project	March 2014

Easy loans to tsunami affected families

189. SHRI RAVULA CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the banks are giving easy loans to the earthquake victims and tsunami affected families;

(b) if so, the details thereof, during the last three years, category-wise and State-wise; and

(c) what steps Government are taking to prevent misuse of such facilities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL): (a) Banks are providing relief/loans to the affected people in the areas affected by natural calamities as per extent guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India vide its circular No. PLFS. BC.10/05.04.02/2005-06 dated July 10, 2006 and RPCD.C.O.PLFS.No.BL.16/05.04 02/2006-07 dated August 9,2006.

(b) and (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House to the extent available.